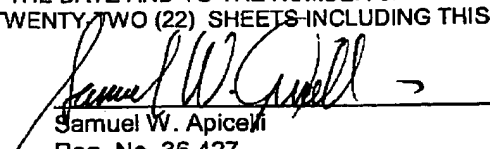


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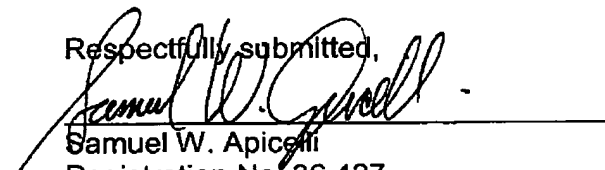
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) to extend the time for submission of a response to the Official Action, mailed July 7, 2005. Accordingly, a one (1) month extension of time to file the Response is requested extending the time for response from October 7, 2005, to November 7, 2005. The Commissioner of Patents is authorized to charge the fee in connection with the Petition, namely \$120.00, and any additional fees, to Deposit Account No. 04-1679.

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